

PAC News

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Thank you to those that attended our first Zoom PAC meeting this year. Every parent or guardian of an Oppenheimer student is a member of PAC. Each meeting is an opportunity to get updates from your PAC and to meet the principal and hear her monthly report.

Thank Yous and Welcomes

We wish to thank Tara Blair for her service as Secretary for our Executive, for organizing babysitting for our meetings (prior to the pandemic) and leading our Babysitting/First Aid courses each year. We are grateful for your many years of volunteering. Thank you to Persis Hui for leading Direct Drive last year and moving this to an online collection process. Welcome to Denice Banfield for assuming the role of Secretary, Holly Pelletier for volunteering to keep our website updated, and to Vivian Kuan for returning to fill our vacated Member-at-Large position. Lastly, thank you to Regina Prakash for leading our Grade 7 Committee this year.

OCTOBER PAC MEETING: Staff present their Wishlist – all the parents present at the meeting will discuss and vote in a new budget. Our next Zoom meeting is on **Wednesday, October 14th at 6:45 p.m.**

Playground Update

Last year, as a PAC we collected the funds for and approved a \$35,000 expansion to our intermediate playground. The order was placed in June and we are still on schedule to have this installed by mid to late October.

Volunteer Opportunity



South Vancouver Family Place (located in a portable behind our school) puts together groceries for families in need in our community. They need more people to help sort food on Mondays between 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. If you would like to help please reach out to Julio at ed.svfp@gmail.com

Anxiety – helpful tips for parents

These are difficult times for both parents and children. If you are interested in learning more about how to help a child struggling with anxiety, click on [this link](#). The link leads to a 24-minute podcast and an article with 6 useful tips.



Interested in being involved as a parent at a District level? Please visit: vancouverdpac.org and join their e-mail list, or follow: Twitter: [@VanDPAC](https://twitter.com/VanDPAC) | Facebook: [@VSBDPAC](https://www.facebook.com/VSBDPAC)



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ELEMENTARY

Mark Your Calendars

October 5 (Mon)

Photo Day

Cancelled - possibly in January

Oct 12 (Mon)

Thanksgiving – No School

Oct 14 (Wed) 6:45 p.m.

PAC Meeting

Zoom Meeting details:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87433808960?pwd=bEwwTDlnMXVMTHVCVGfOSHJKOHk4QT09>

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Meeting ID: 874 3380 8960

Passcode: 532820

Oct 21 (Wed)

Early Dismissal

Parent Conferences

2 – 3 p.m.

Oct 22 (Thurs)

Early Dismissal

Parent Conferences

2 – 3 p.m.

Oct 23 (Fri)

Professional Day – no school

Oct 31 (Sat)

Halloween

Enjoy your night as a family!